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Telegraphic, Address Peets. Telephone No. 12. NEW ADVERTISEMENTS. THE BAST BORNEO PLANTING

COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE is hereby given to holders of Shares in the above Company on which UALLS are still UNPAID, that unless the said Calls, with Interest at the rate of 12 per cent. per Annum, from the due dates, are paid on or before the 15th day of May next at the Company's Offices, 6, Ice House Lane, the Shares in respect of which such Calls were made will be liable to be forfaited, and under the provisions. of Article K, subsection VIII, of the Articles of Association, the Board will pass the necessary THE Company's Steamship resolutions for the forfeiture of the said shares. GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents.

NOTICE. THE JELEBU MINING AND TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

Hongkong, 29th April, 1890.

DIVIDEND of 3 per cent. for the period from 1st April, 1889, to 31st January, 1880, having been declared at the First Ordinary General Meeting of the above Companyheld to-day, the Coupon No. 1 of the Sharewarrants will be paid by the New Oriental Bank ('orporation, Limited, in Singapore or Hongkong as follows:-

Coupons A for 50 shares \$7.50 each. B for 20 shares \$3.00 each. C for 5 shares \$0.75 each. HEITENBACH BROTHERS & Co., General Agents. Singapore, 19th April, 1890.

NOTICE. THE JEEEBU MINING AND TRADING COMPANY, LIMITED.

FI'HE COUPON SHEETS for Share-Warrants can now be obtained through the NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED, Hongkong. HUTTENBACH BROTHERS & Co.,

General Agents. Singapore, 15th April, 1890.

THEATRE HONGKONG.

MILITARY MUMMERS" "WOODCOCKS LITTLE GAME,"

Farcical Comedy by J. Mandison Monton, will be given by the above on THURSDAY AND SATURDAY. let and 3rd May, 1890. To be followed by the Farces "AREA BELLE" and "BROTHER BILL

AND ME." Doors open at 8.80. To commence at 9 p.m. Punkalis will be provided. lickets:—Reserved Seats, 31 (numbered), First Seats 50 cents, can be obtained of Superin tending Clerk J. C. WATSON, Commis earist Buildings. Hongkong, 29th April, 1890. SOCIETE FRANCAISE DES CHARBON.

FINE GENERAL ANNUAL MEETING Will take place at Hongkong on the 31st May, 1880, at the Registered Office in Victoria Buildings at Noon 12 o'CLOCK.

Order of the day -Report presented by the Board of Directors. Report of the Commissioners. Approval of Accounts. election of Director. Election of Commissioners.

In accordance with the Company's Articles of Association, owners of at least twenty shares, in order to have the right to attend the above meeting, shall have to deposit them at the Company's Office not later than fifteen days before the meeting and will receive in exchange a card of admission. By Order of the Board of Directors, C. GEORG.

Hongkong, 28th April, 1890. PUBLIC AUCTION. WITHE Undersigned has received instructions to Bell by Public Auction, on

THURSDAY. the lat May, 1890, at 11 a.m., at the Godowns of Messrs. ED. SCHELLHASS & Co., Wanchai. POR ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, E. S. & Co.=500 Boxes STEEL, Anchor mark. All more or less damaged by sea water Ex S. S. Daphne.

F. RAPP. Hengkong, 29th April, 1890. PUBLIC AUCTION

TERMS OF SALE -As Customary

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

VE HE Undersigned has received instructions L to Sell by Public Austion, on SATURDAY. the 3rd May, 1890, commencing at 2,30 p.m. at his bales Booms, Duddell Street, A QUANTITY OF

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE.

(the Property of GENTLEMEN leaving the Colony) and comprising :-CRETONNE-COVERED DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, English-made MARBLE TOP TABLES CHIPPENDALE MIR-RORS, PICTURES, LAMPS, CARPETS RUGS, COTTAGE PIANO, &c., Ac., Teak SIDEBOARD with Plate Glass Back, CARD TABLES, WHATNOTS, CROCKERY, GLASS AND PLATE WARE, CUTLERY Ac. IRON BEDSTEADS, with Patent of Hongkong and the Coast Ports, that he will Spring and Hair Mattresses, Ladies Wardrobes with Plats Glass Doors, MARBLE-TOP let May. WASHINGSTAND, DRESSING TABLES, BUREAU, CHESIS OF DRAWERS.

&c., ..... &c. the above will be on view on Friday pext. TERMS OF BALE. - As customary. G. R. LAMMERT, dious, well Ventilated and well Furnished; and

Hongwood, 29th April 1890. 1030 The Dining Room in large and looks on the NAVIGAZIONE GENERALE ITALIANA (FLORIO & RUBATTING UNITED COMPANIES.)

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"BORMIDA." De Negri. Master, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 6th May, at Noon. At BORRAY the Steamers are discharging in VICTORIA DOCK. For Further Particulars regarding Freight and Passage, apply to CARLOWITZ & Co., Hongkong, 21st April, 1890.

ADVERTISEMENTS STEAM TO MANILA VIA AMOY. HE Steamship

"NANZING. Captain Talbot, will be despatched as al TO-MORROW, the 30th inst, at NOON For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

Hongkong, 28th April, 1890. STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY, 2414 Calling at COLOMBO if sufficient inducement-offers. FINE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship

"GWALIOR." Cantain F. Cole. will leave for the above places on THURSDAY, the let May, at DAYLIGHT. E. L. WOODIN.

Hongkong, 28th April, 1890. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL

"PATROCLUS" Captain Pulford, will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the let prox. For Freight or Passage, apply to

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Hongkong, 29th April, 1890. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY

FOR SANDAKAN AND KUDAT. THE Company's Steamship. " MEMNON.

Captain Dorff, will be despatched as above on FRIDAY, the 2nd May. between British North Borneo and Hongkong only, leaving Hongkong shout every eighteen For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE

Agents. Hongkong, 25th April, 1890. EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN PTEAR SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

FOR KOBE DIRECT. THE Steamship MENMUIR."

Captain Craig, will be despatched for the above Port on SATURDAY, the 3rd May, at THEER For Freight or Passage apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, 29th April, 1890. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. NONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer

are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 29th inst. Goods undelivered after the 6th prox. will be subject to Rent. All damaged Goods must tion at the Company's Office.

be left in the Godowns, where they will be ex
Dated this 23rd day of April, 1890. amined at 11 A.M., 7th inst.

AL BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE. Hongkong, 28th April 1899. HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION KWOON KWAN YEEN CHALLENGE

900): fifteen shots at each. C. VIVIAN LADDS, Hon. Sec.

Hongkong, 29th April, 1890. NGLISH NURSE, highly, recommended I returning to England, wishes to take Charge of One or Two YOUNG CHILDREN ducing the royage.

Care of Office of this Paper. Hongkong, 28th April, 1890. ANTED.—The undersigned wishes to open correspondence with a reliable house dealing in BRISTLES. State the quality and size with prices, or send samples direct. Reference asked Address \*\* GEO. H. BAUMANN.

Pennsylvania House. Wilmingdon, Delaware. U. S. of America. THE HONGKONG MARINA, LIMITED. THE DIRECTORS require; immediately, the services of a thoroughly competent

MANAGER, for their FLOATING HOTEL in Hongkong Harbour. Nautical experience, though advantageous, is not a necessary qualification Apply, stating salary and giving references, to J. A. BARRETTO. Secretary,

3. Besconsfield Arcade. Hongkong, 28th April, 1890. H. FOURNIER & Co.

TIENDERS will be received at the Registry of the Supreme Court until the 15th day of May next for the purchase in One Lot of the STOCK-IN-TRADE GOODWILL and BOOK DEBTS of the Pirm of H. FOURKIER & Co., of Queen's Road. For inventory and other particulars,

EDW/J. ACKROYD. Official Administrator. Hongkong, 26th April, 1890. EXTENSION DINING TABLE, CHAIRS, MARINE HOTEL HONGKUNG.

> The Undersigned begs to notify the Public OPEN the MARINE HOTEL, on or about THIS FIRST CLASS HOTEL Is situated on the Prays, West, opposite the Old P. & O. Wharf, and is newly built after the decigns of the Largest European Hotels. The BEDROOMS, BATH-ROOMS, &c., are commo-

are suitable for Single or Married Persons The TABLE D'HOTE will be supplied with the best the market can provide The HAR and BILLLISD ROOMs are on the Ground Floor, and will be fitted up in superior and Brands only will be supplied.

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JAS. EDWARDS. Proprietor Hongkong, 21st March/1890 SPECIALITIES

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BURLEY, DALRYMPLE & Co., Agente, Hougkong. MOTICE OF CONFIRMATORY MEETING.

THE SONGEL KOYAH PLANTING COMPANY. LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA ORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Repistered Office of the above named Company No. 6, Ice House Lane, Victoria, Hongkong, TO MORROW (WEDNESDAY). the 30t day of April, 1890, at 4 o'clock in the After noon for the purpose of Confirming the Special specially ordered. Resolution proposed and passed at the last most ing of the Shareholders held on the 14th inst. A Full and complete copy of the Resolution passed at such Meeting may be seen on applica-

tion at the Company's Office.

Dated this 15th day of April, 1890. GIBB LIVINGSTON & Co. General Managers. EAST BORNEO PLANTING COMPANY LIMITED.

NOTICE OF EXTRAORDINARY MEET-ING OF SHAREHOLDERS

TOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY MEETING OF SHARE In future this or other steamer will ply HOLDERS of the above Company will be held at the Offices of the Company, 6, Ice House Lane, on SATURDAY, the 3rd day of May, at 12, Noon, when certain Resolutions necessary to enable the Company to borrow the sum of \$50,000 by the issue of debentures (as proposed at the Meeting of Shareholders held on the 14th instant) will be put to the Meeting. Copies of these Resolutions have been forwarded to the Begistered Shareholders in the Company and unregistered holders of Shares can obtain copies at the Office of Messre. GIBB, LIVINGSTON &

> By Order of the Directors. CHAS. F. HARTON. Acting Secretary. Hougkong, 18th April, 1890. NOTICE OF CONFIRMATORY MEETING.

THE DARVEL BAY TRADING COM-PANY, LIMITED.

NTOTICE is hereby given that an EXTRA-ORDINARY MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS will be beld at the Registered Office of the above named Company, Queen's Road Central, No. 9. Victoria, Hong. kong, on WEDNESDAY, the 7th day of May, 1890, at 4 o'clock in the Afternoon, for tion proposed and passed at the last meeting of the Shareholders held on the 21st instant. A full and complete cony of the Resolution passed at such meeting may be seen on applica-

REUTER BROCKELMANN & Co General Managura HONGKONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NTOTICE is hereby given that A SPECIAL or EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL I HE Second Stage of the Eighth Competi this Company will be held at the Crry HALL, tion will take place on SATURDAY Hongkong, at Noon, on SATURDAY, the NEXT, May 3rd, at 2.30 p.m. Firing to com- 31st day of May next, for the purpose of commence at 700 yards. Distance, 700, 800, and sidering, and, if approved, of passing the following Resolutions:-

1-That the Capital of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation be increased from \$7,500,000 to \$10,000,000 by the creation of 20,000 New Shares of \$125, to be issued at the price of 242 10s. Castern Shareholders to pay for their allotments at the current rate of the day for Demand Bills on London.

-That the said New Shares be in the first shall prescribe for that purpose, offered to the Shareholders in the proportion of ope New Share for every three Shares of which on the 31st May, 1890, they shall respectively be the Registered Holders and that an New Shares not secepted by the Shareholders within the time limited by the Directors for that purpose, be disposed of and allotted by the Directors in such manner. and at such price as in their discretion they shall think best in the interest of the Com-

That payment of the sum of £42 10s. pe made as follows, vis :-£10 12a 6d on the 30th day of June, 1890 £10 12s. 6d. 30th ., Sept., £10 12s. 6d. 31st £10 12s. 6d. ... 31st ... March, 1891 -That the Directors issue to Bhareholders £10 12s. 6d. ... 31st holding shares not a multiple of Three a Fractional certificate in respect of each share in excess of or below such multiple and allot one new share to every person who shall produce three such Fractional Certificates on or before the 30th June, 1890, and pay the first instalment in respect thereof. -That after payment of the first instalment and pending payment of the future instal-ments, Scrip Certificates in such form as the Directors may determine be issued in

respect of such New Shares, entitling the Holders on payment of the remaining instal-ments, and subject to such other terms as CAPITAL. to approval, data for lodging Scrip, Cortificates, and otherwise as the Directors may prescribe, to be registered as the Holders of the Shares represented by such Scrip Certificates respectively. -That interest at the rate of 5 per cent per annum (free of income tax) be allowed out First Order of Merit. of the profits of the Company on all installs ments paid in advance of the dates when the same become due and that from the 30th June, 1890, Holders of Scrip Certificates be entitled to participate in fature dividends. in proportion to the amount of instalments

That interest at the rate of S per cent per Regulia Antonio Lopes annum be charged on every instalment which shall not be punctually paid, and be paid with such instalments.

That all moneys received from premiums Houghets on the said New Shares be added to the Reine Victoria.

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PUBLIC AUCTION HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE

HE Undersigned has received instructions to Sell by Public Auction. TO MORBOW. the 30th April, 1890, commencing at 2.30 p.m. sharp, at the Residence of F. A. MORGAN, Esq. HISHOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

comprising . .... MIRROR-HACK HALL & UMBRELL TANDS, HALL FURNITURE, TAPES TRY COVERED DRAWING ROOM SUITE 5" CHIPPENDALD MIRRORS. GASELIERS and GAS BRACKETS. PIC-Tures rugs tables fendres al IRONS, WRITING TABLE. IBON BEDSTEADS. MARBLE TOP WASHING STANDS, WARDROBE, with Plate Glass Door, DRESSING BUREAU

BEDROOM SUITE. Catalogues will be issued previous to the Sale, and the above will be on view on Tuesday next. TERMS OF SALE :-- As customary. G. R. LAMMERT. Auotioneer.

Hongkong, 25th April, 1890. PUBLIC AUCTION. MR. J. M. ARMSTRONG has received instructions from the Mortogoes to instructions from the Mortgages to

Self by Public Auction, on the purpose of Confirming the special Resoluthe 5th day of May, 1890, at 230 o'clock P.M., at the Premises. ALL THAT Valuable Piece or Parcel of GROUND situate at Victoria, Hongkong, and Registered in the Land Office as THE REMAIN-ING PORTION OF INDAND LOT No. 265, with the MESSUAGES now known as Nos. 87, 39 and 41, Upper Station, Street and Nos. 45, 47, 49, 51, 53, and 55, Market Street For Particulars and Conditions of Sale

> WOTTON & DEACON. Horgkong. Mr. J. M. ARMSTBONG. Hongkoug. Hongkong, 16th April, 1890.

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Perfectly pure Bordeaux, not loaded to please vitiated paletes. MOUTON :: in quarte and pists. ST. ESTEPHE .... in quarts and pints MARGAUX-MEDOC in quarta and pints. Beneficens from the Monatery O. P. & Co. ery the Sole Consernors of

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LANKOW AND YANGTEZE PORTS Outports that he is now in a position, to supply It is SORABJI J. GAZDER Hankow, 8th April, 1890.

INTEMATIONS.

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HONGKONG.

Escolts, 14. THE CANTON DISPENSARY, CANTON. Canal Road. THE DISPRISARY, FOOCHOW. THE DISPENSARY. HANKOW.

THE DISPENSARY, TIENTSIN. LONDON OFFICE, 106. Fenchurch Street, E.C. ... [a893 Hongkong, 14th April, 1890. AMOY DISTRICT.

LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS. SUNKEN ROCK AT SOUTHERN EN TRANCE TO AMOY INNER HARBOUR. NOTICE is hereby given of the existence, at the Southern Entrance of Amoy Inner

Harbour, of a Sunken Rock situated about 34 and having about 21 feet of water on it at Low Capt. Water Spring Tides. From the shoalest part of the Rock (which is only about 6 feet across) Thumb Rock bears N. 29 deg. 30 min. W. Cornwallis Stone bears N. 67 deg. 40 min. E. H.M.S. Imperiouse touched on this rock on the 18th instant.

T. H. KINGSLEY, Acting Harbour Master, Approved: T. F. HUGHES. Commissioner of Customs. Justom House. Amoy, 22nd April, 1890. FOR SALE.

ATHAS, HEIDSIECK'S CHAMPAGNE, 1880 WHITE SEAL \$22...... per case of I dosen quarts.
\$23...... per case of 2 dosen pints.
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ARRIVALS. April 28, TAI-SANG, British steamer, 1,505, W. H. Jackson, Shanghai 24th April, General. -Jandine, Matheson & Co. April 28, INGRABAN, German str., 894, R. Massmann, Whampos 28th April.-Wieler &

PRICE \$21 PER MONTH

April 28, Naméhow, British str., 1.109. C. A. Colonna, Rangoon 18th April, Penang 18th, and Singapore 22nd, General.—Bur Mon. April 28, Cass, Chinese steamer, 704, M. Jenssen, Amoy 27th April, General.-Captain.

CLEARANCES. AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 28th April. Canton, British str., for Shanghai. Glaucus, British str., for Amoy. Glenfalloch, British str., for Shanghai. Lancelot, British str., for Sourabaya. AERATED Haitun, British str., for Swater. Zafire, British str., for Amoy.

Yehrin Chinese str., for Shanghai.

Glenearn, British str., for Saigon.

Daphne. German str., for Singapore.

Tai Lee, German str., for Saigon. Ingraban, German str., for Saigon. DEPARTURES. April 28, JOHANN, German str., for Hothew. April 28, CANTON, British str., for Shanghai. April 28, GLENEARN, British str., for Saigon.

Shanghai. April 28, Zartho, British etc., for Manlis. April 28. Tittumph, Gorman str., for Whampon. April 28, INGRABAN, German str., for Saigon. April 28, GLAUCUS, British str., for Shanghai,

PASSENGERS. Per Namchow, str. from Rangoon, &c. -550

REPORTS The British steamer Taisena, from Shanghai 24th April, reports had variable winds and fine

The Chinese steamer Cass, from Amoy 27th

April, reports had light easterly breeze and fine weather throughout. The British steamer Namchow, from Rangeon 13th April, Penang 18th, and Singapore 22nd reports had light winds and smooth water to Cape Padaran; from Cape Padaran to Paracels moderate S.S.E. winds and equally weather. From Paracels to port E.N.E. winds with a N.E. swell, hasy over the land. On the 22nd April spoke a full rigged ship State of Maine, of Newcastle, in lat. 142 N., long. 154.35 E., from Sin-

gapere bound for Hongkong.

SHANGHAL SHIPPING 21, Taisang, British str., from Hongkong. 22, Hae an, Chinese str., from Tientsin. 22. Poo-chi, Chinese str., from Tientein. 22, Taku, British str., from Newchwang, 22, Yoritomo Maru, Jap. str., from K'notzu. 22, Saikio Maru, Jap. str., from Yokohama. 22, Patroclus, British str., from Liverpool.

DEPARTURES. 21, Moyune, British str., for Nagasaki. 21, Store Nordiske, Danish str., for a cruise. 22, Ingo, German str., for Nagasaki. Amoy, German str., for Hongkon 22, Hein-yu, Chinese str., for Chefoo. 22, El Dorado, British str., for Tientsin. 22, Wuchang, British str., for Tientain. 22, Tsinan, British str., for Kobe. 22, Alscrity, British d.-v., for Chefoo.

VESSELS IN DOCK ABBEDBEN DOCKS .-Kowloon Docks - Chinese cruiser Quangchia. German cruiser Sophie, steamers Solent. Lekin, Phu Quoc, H.M.S. Savern. COSMOPOLITAN DOCK.—Hankow.

VISITORS AT HOTELS Hongkong Hotel .- Mr. E. A. Armstrong, Dr. Andre Baleillard, Mesars, Bandeuf, Bedat, cables outside the Coker Rock, and a little over M. Bigillion, A. Blashki, J. McLeavy Brown, 4 cables to the W.S.W. of Cornwallis Stone, Mrs. Craigie, Miss Donnis, Lord Dunlo, Dunn, Maj. General Solly Flood, Miss Solly Flood, Messrs. J. Forster, Andrew Foster, Galloway, H. J. Gifford, C. Grandjean, Haberland, Capt. W. H. Hall, Messrs. C. Henrich, E. H. Herbert, Lient. Col. and Mrs. Jerrard, Mesara Kao, M. M. Kuhu, Mrs. W. M. Lang, Mr.H. A. Laurence, Mr. and Mrs. P. Lyon, Messrs. H. MacNish, W. P. Mason, R. de S. Mathurin, E. F. Milner, Phillipo. Mrs. Pillossier, Messrs. Ouang, Renault, G. Robinson, P. F. and P. G. Schumscher, G. W. Sheppard, Sir B. Simpson, H. Smith, H. P. Tooker, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Weeks, Messrs, Webrung, J. G. B. Worthington.

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PASSENGERS BOOKED FOR HONGKONG. Per Glen Line str. Glenogle, from Lendon, March 22nd - Mosers: Alex. Anderson and A. Cheffeld. Per P. & O. steamer Valetta, from London, April 3rd .- Messrs. Heathcote, Mossop, and Latimar, Mrs. J. R. Conn. Por Messageries Maritimes str. Iraquaddy, from Marseilles, April 5th.—Messrs. J. Dampney, Reyband, Postelossi. Per P. & O. steamer Ballarat, from London, April 11th .- Major and Mrs. Hannay, Mr. Rut-

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At Plymouth, on the 16th March; the wife of Captain L. C. Persas, R. M. L. I., of a daughter. [1023]

Hongkong, April 29rn, 1890.

the bell, whereupon there was a great THE question of cheap telegraphy has an especial interest for residents in the Far clouds darkened the sky, there were ter-East at the present time, when every effort rible storms, and bouses and inhabitants were is being made by the Cable Companies to abandoned and immediately the elements resum- judication. obtain a convention confirming them in their monopoly and staving off the reduction in was made to raise the sunken monster in 1604 (the 9th year of Keicho,) so tradition states, and rates which competition would, in the natural again there was commotion and disaster, and the course of things, bring about. Mr. HEN- handle broke away from the bell in the attempt NIREE HEATON, M.P., in his paper recently read before the Society of Arts, after referring to the extension of telegraphic com. Tomikawa, a gentlemen engaged in the raising of sunken vessels and treasure, formed the munication in the United Kingdom, said :-"The case of international communication is and with this object in view made inspection entirely different. A marvellous invention. whereby the natural obstacles, of space and time are annihilated, has been selfishly appropriated by a set of long-headed monopo. Through its long immersion in the water it is of the same month. You may conceive my sur- agreement with him, but at present he is asking said on both aides. lists, and 999 out of every thousand men sanction to proceed with the work was obtained are as a bsolutely debarred from the use of it as if such men as Franklin and Whrat.

In ow covered with masses of seaweed and shells, prise at receiving a voluntary communication a monthly subside higher than the Russian Go. Sanction to proceed with the work was obtained in every strain and good natured in every strain and good natured in every strain as "discussion and reductions," constant which I never asked for, not only because I have vernment will agree to but no doubt unless some one interferes an agreet pity, that of observations, 21,328, 16s." The progress of the substitute of observations, 21,328, 16s." The progress of the substitute of observations, 21,328, 16s." The progress of the substitute of observations, 21,328, 16s." The progress of the substitute of observations, 21,328, 16s." The progress of the substitute of observations, 21,328, 16s." The progress of the substitute of observations, 21,328, 16s." The progress of the substitute of observations, 21,328, 16s." The progress of the substitute of observations, 21,328, 16s." The progress of the substitute of observations, 21,328, 16s." The progress of the substitute of observations, 21,328, 16s." The progress of the substitute of observations, 21,328, 16s." The progress of the substitute of observations, 21,328, 16s." The progress of the substitute of observations, 21,328, 16s." The progress of the substitute of observations, 21,328, 16s." The progress of the substitute of observations, 21,328, 16s." The progress of the substitute of observations and the substitute of observations a srong had never existed. The cable system between England, India, South Africa, the East, Australia, and New Zealand exists for mind the disseter attending to mind the disseter at a tend of the attended to the properties to the attended to the properties to the attended to the attend East, Australia, and New Zealand exists for ever, calling to mind the disseter attending standing. the benefit of the Eastern Telegraph Comdescription and new zero and pany, and not for the good of the public. told delamity if the attempt was not abandoned. legend known to those who have made classical tier, as is known to every achdolog,—and we the treaty powers was set apart for the more before last, particularly at a time when, with a while others abuse and misuse their power.

has so distributed it that it is difficult to oust him from his position of supremacy. I ONGKONG RADING sent watching is China. The extension of China's telegraph system offers a prospect of cheaper rates for European and American telegrams. To prevent this great public boon every effort is being exerted by the cable monopolists. So far, fortunately, their efforts have been frustrated, but the position, we are told, is still far from safe. The true protection for the public as against the monopolists would be the ac quisition by the British Government of the cables communicating with the British pos-

routes to Australia would be £65,900. Sir

JOHN PENDER is quoted as an authority for

the opinion that the Imperial telegraphs

taken as a whole, would yield a profit of a

million a year. Even now, we are told, tele-

grams could be profitably sent between Eng-

land and Australia for 1s. per word, and of

course they could be sent to this Colony at

an equivalent rate. A shilling telegraph rate

to all the colonies and ocean penny postage

would link together the scattered portions of

the empire in the bonds of a federation far

more real and durable than any more paper

agreement. The scheme is a magnificent

HEATON all success in his endeavours to

translate it from the region of vision to that

There were 1,052 visitors to the City Hall

Museum last week, of whom 220 were Europeans.

The despatch vessel Alacrity, with Admiral

Jalmon on board, left Shanghai for Chefoo on

The Agents (Messrs, Siemssen & Co.) inform

Admiral Osman Pasha made an official call of

His Excellency the Acting Governor yesterday

afternoon. He was received by a guard of

Mr. E. W. Maitland. Hon. Treasurer, of the

Alice Memorial Hospital, has received \$200 from

Mesers. Jardine. Matheson & Co., towards the

The British steamer Namchow, which arrived

here vesterday from Penang, reports having

Lat. 1 deg. 42 min. N; Long 104 deg. 35 min.

Amongst the passengers who arrived by the

P. & O. steamer Robilla on Saturday was Vis-

count Dunlo, from Bombay, en route for Yoko-

hama. His Lordship's name has been familiar

"A Musical Houquet" ......... Gasaner
"Abschieds Ständchen" ...... Herfurth

A correspondent writes to the N. C. Daily News

from Tameni that on the 10th April, General

Cheng Tre-too, with one of his captains, was

executed in front of General Su's camp, outside

the east gate of T'aipeifu. It is said that the

culprifs had embersled funds and issued false

returns of the men under their command. The

executioner's sword was so blunt that he had to

back away in a shocking manner before he could

Efforts are again in progress, says the Japan

Gazette, to raise the great sunken bell at Kane-

saki, which derives its name from kane (bell)

and when it came in its present position is a mys-

in 1473 (the 5th year of Bummei) Munakata.

the Lord of the place, made an attempt to raise

. Gasaner.

tery, but that it has lain there for centuries is believed the petitioner had no claims upon the

spoken the full-rigged ship State of Maine,"

E., bound from Singapore to this port.

Singapore yesterday at 2 p.m. for this port.

of practical effect.

the 22nd April.

honour on landing.

funds of that institution.

Serenade.....

Fantasia..... "A Musical Houquet".

ver the heads of the victime

one, and we heartily wish Mr. HENNIKEL

"Last year," says Mr. Henniker Heaton, "no less than £360,000 was expended in cable messages to and from Australia, the expenditure being thus at the rate of £1.000 per day. Taking the price paid for messages in 1885, viz., £308,000 for 47,000 messages, we find that 'the average price of every cable message to Australia exceeded 26. And this is the way we encourage will elapse before an uninsured house will be regatory to the interests confided to me. federation! . . . The result of this state of the exception instead of the rule. This change | Furthermore, personally, the charge will not no soldiers present at the time; so the heien, in night following a special Miyake odori—a dance things is that, as regards international intercourse, one of the most beneficent discoveries of the human mind is brought to nought. For all the ordinary every day operations of trade, and for every kind of social intercourse between the nations divid-A. S. WATSON & Co., LIMITED. ed by water, telegraphy practically does not more likely to perceive and take advantage of interfere. I can only terminate with this con- on the north-east coast, where, besides being windy, and as the Emperor would not go with exist. It is sparingly employed for the purnative fellow-countrymen of all classes. In this as poses of Government, and still more sparingin other matters the Parsees have been quick to Brands, all of which are excellent quality and ly by a few wealthy firms; but the several follow European example, but the practice has now taken a strong hold on all classes, not excepting peoples remain isolated, each from the outer the Mussulmans, whose religious convictions world, from mail day to mail day, like blind might perhaps have been expected to set as a noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bottled and deaf mutes, sitting in stony silence in the barrier to their adopting it. The Insurance Companies no doubt find many of their best clients among the trustees of the numberless favours the projected cible between Vanfamily estates in the Native Town, who are doubtless only too glad to protect the property converand Australia, which he estimates would for which they are responsible against the risk cost £2,000,000. He proposes also that the of fire. Whether this business is destined to State should to acquire the Eastern Extension Company's cable for a sum of £2,200,000. The two undertakings would thus cost £4,200,000. The purchase of the Eastern we hope that it will prove so. Extension Company's lines would extinguish subsidies now paid by the Colonies to the amount of £56,700 a year; and the net re-ULYSSES." sult is that the total annual coarge for the equisition of complete Governmental control over the Asiatic and Pacific telegraph

LOSS OF THE STEAMSHIP

behaviour in the sum of \$5 for a month.

News has been received in Hongkong of the total loss of the Ocean Steamship Company's steamer Ulysses, near Kobe. At the time of the loss the steamer had only about fifty tons of cargo on board. The information received makes no mention of the crew, and it is therefore assumed that they were saved. The Ulysses was a comparatively new steamer, having [been built as 21st April at the head office. Hankow-road, late as 1888. This is the third vessel of that name belonging to the Company which has been

SUPREME COURT. 28th April.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

SHERAZER E. CHO LIP CHEE. Mr. Hastings (of Messrs. Wotton and Dea-

con's) was for the plaintiff, and Mr. Recoe for This was a claim for \$740 by the plaintiff. a broker, on a contract which he had negotiated between the defendant and a third party, Roza Brothers, in which the plaintiff guaranteed the defendant, and the was for money paid on his behalf. The defence was not sufficient guarantee to satisfy the fourth section of the Statute of Frauds; that the con- I think, is a proof that the Company still retains the

tion between the bought and sold notes : second. by reason of material alteration of the sold note: ties to accept 25 per cent in full discharge and value, and so enable as to write off as profit satisfaction of all claims against the defendant under the contract. H. A. Sherasee, broker, said that on the 16th July he negotiated a contract between Rozal

Brothers and the defendant for 50 sugar shares at 320. At the defendant's request he became guarantee for the shares to Roza Brothers. When the shares had to be taken up the defendant was not able to do so and made a dord of composition. Rosa Brothers sold the shares and brought an action against witness for the difference, \$2,363. Witness compromised with Roza Brothers. He paid \$300 in cash and gave them two promissory notes, each for \$440.62. one payable on lat January and one on lat March. He also agreed that if he received 25 per cent. from the defendant he would hand it to Roza

to newspaper readers of late in connection Brothers. He had paid the \$300 and one of the with his divorce proceedings against the lady promissory notes. known before her marriage as Miss Belle Bilton. The defendant stated that when he was unable to take up the shares he made a deed of composi-The Band of the A. & S. Highlanders will tion, by which it was agreed that he was to pay play the following programme at the Officers' 20 per cent, in settlement of the claims under Mess, this (Tuesday) evening, commencing at ...... Waldtenfal.

the contract. He denied having requested the plaintiff to become guarantor for him, and that any payments made by the plaintiff were not made at his request. His Lordship said he would reserve judgment but he must say that it appeared to him that

defendant was trying to shirk payment of what

he ought to pay, IN BANKRUPICY.

BEFORE HIS HONOUR MR. FIELDING CLARKS. ACTING CHIEF JUSTICE.

In Re Lo Leung Hing. Mr. Dennys appeared on behalf of a creditor Yuen Yip Hu, and petitioned that Lo. Laung Hing be adjudicated a bankrupt. The debtor owed petitioner the sum of \$500 and had committed an act of bankruptcy in allowing himself and saki (cape), in Fukuo-ka-ken. Quite a to be arrested in respect to two other suits. romance attaches to this wonderful bell. How | Mr. Wotton, who appeared for oreditors, onposed the petition on the ground that his clients

pretty positively known. Tradition states that debtor. Mr. Webber on behalf of another oreditor also opposed the Delition. Yuan Yip Hu was then called and produced a commotion in the earth and heavens, black promissory note for \$500 given by the debtor to him on account of money lent. His Lordship said he was satisfied with the almost swept into the sea, The attempt was proof of the debt and granted an order for ad-

DIPLOMATIC COURTESY.

The Shanghai Chamber of Commerce addressto draw it to the surface with ropes. The in. | ed a letter to the China Association on the subhabitants now were seized with terror, and no ject of the proposed telegraph convention, and one dared to refer to the bell. Recently Mr. forwarded a copy to each of the foreign Ministers at Peking. The following is the Russian intention of again attempting to raise the hell Minister's acknowledgment:

him. Several bricks and stones have, of late, profession.
been placed upon the lines, but as the defendant Naturally persons, strangers to this profes-

was not caught doing any such mischief, his sion, may ignore the obligatory character of this Worship simply bound him over to be of good principle; even those who know it and admit it "in corpore" may not in an isolated or exceptional case conform thereto rigorously. How-Referring to the annual meeting of the Bom- ever, such exceptions, as all exceptions, far from bay Fire Insurance Agents' Association the invalidating the rule can only confirm it. In ly made, by which "peace at any price" was supposed to have been secured, has suddenly collaps. one of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gave no indication of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gave no indication of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gave no indication of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gave no indication of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gave no indication of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gave no indication of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gave no indication of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gave no indication of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gave no indication of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gave no indication of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gave no indication of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gave no indication of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gave no indication of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gave no indication of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gave no indication of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gave no indication of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gave no indication of the tunnels, with "How beautiful are the great gales which gales are the great gales which gales are the gales which gales are the gales which gales are the gales are th

munication I may have to make to you, Sir,

The Chamber's reply was as follows:— Shanghai General Chamber of Commerce. Shanghai, 14th March, 1890. Committee of the Chamber, a body of gentlemen prove profitable or not is a question very difficult this port, as a matter of courtesy, forwarded a faith. On dit. however, the soldiers are a little tenor of your communication, that such confidence was in vonr instance entirely misplaced.—I have the honour to be, sir, your obedient servant, Signed) GEO. R. CORNEE, Secretary. H.E. A. M. Coumany, H.I.R.M.'s En. Extr. and Minister Plenipotentiary, Peking.

> THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

The twelfth ordinary general meeting of the shareholders in this company was held on the Shanghai, Mr. E. H. Lavers presiding. The GHAIRMAN, before moving the first reso lution, said-Gentlemen, this meeting is held

in conformity with the articles of association

for the purpose of submitting to you the repor of the directors and statement of accounts the Company to the 31st December last, which have been in your hands for some time, and with your permission we will take them as read. as also the minutes of the last ordinary general meeting. In reviewing these accounts there is, BEFORE MR. A. G. WISE, ACTING PUISNE think, but little for me to remark upon, as they speak for themselves, but it may be as well i me to allude to certain items of more or less importance, as showing how the Company actually stands. In the first instance, I wish to draw your attention to the closing of the year 1888 the result, which must be considered satisfactory. being the payment of 10 per cent, on the paid up capital, and 18 per cent, dividend to contributing shareholders, besides an addition to Reserve Fund of Tls. 40.000. I now come to the statement of accounts for the year ended 31st December last, which shows a balance at predit ou that date of Tls. 797,536.94. The for Until then, however, nothing but unpremis for this year, 1 89. exhibit an increase satisfactory and even disastrous results, while of Tis. 122,350, as compared with 1888, and this longaging so pertinacions and fierce a fee as its popularity, and the staunch support of its H.E. the Governor seems to be hopelessly oripshareholders. It is satisfactory to know that our investments in London have improved in tion of our triennal term. The losses and claims paid on account of 1889 are unfortunately exceptionally heavy, but the many casualties that occurred during the year must be regarded as almost unprecedented in the tory of marine insurance. Nevertheless our liabilities are running off very steadily, and the Directors feel quite justified in making the interim distribution of profits that they recommend. A resolution to that effect will be put o the meeting in due course. As far as aware there are no other matters requiring pecial comment, but should you desire further nformation, I shall he happy to reply to any the sign of anchu supremacy."

questions you may wish to not to me. There being no questions, The CHAIRMAN proposed that the report and be adopted and passed.

Mr. F. H. BELL seconded the resolution, which The CHAIRMAN-The next resolution which have to propose is a very pleasant one, and I think will be satisfactory to all concerned :--That the following interim distribution of profits for the year 1889 be now declared: Interest at the rate of 10 per cent. on the Paid up Capital, a bonus of 15 per cent. on Shareholders' contributions, and interest on the Reserve Fund to Sist December 13s. 8d. per share." Mr. H. R. HEARN seconded the resolution. which was carried.

Mr. J. M. Young proposed :- That Messrs Bell, Brand, Hearn, Lavers, W. D. Little, and MoLood be elected Directors of the Company for the current year, and that the remuneration of the Directorate be Taels Six Thousand

Mr. C. Chomie seconded, and it was carried Mr. J. WELCH proposed: - "That Messes. White and Burman be re-elected Auditors of the Company for the ensuing year." The resolution was seconded by Mr. F.

Bishor and carried. The CHAIRMAN-As far as we are concerned. centlemen, there is no other business to bring before you: but it may be of interest to you to know that the dividend warrants will be out to-Mr. WELCH proposed a vote of thanks to the

Chairman which was accorded by acclamation.

and the proceedings terminated. -- Mercury. \*

A NATIVE PAPER ON THE

TELEGRAPH CONVENTION.

The N. C. Daily News translates the following bringing nearly everybody out of doors. This from the Hu pao-The telegraph convention has given the female portion of the community business is serious both to Chinese and foreigners, an opportunity to display their elegant dresses, and sais well known the chief promoter of it on the products of the looms for which Kyoto is so - The annual report of the Meteorological Coundiameter, and about 15 luches in thickness, and copy of the letter which you wrote to the to get the concession to build and memare this slow to retort, but from what I know of both less appear in the accounts of other departdivers and the necessary gear sent to the spot because as far as I am concerned it cannot have Yamen be willing to grant such an important this Government, whatever may have been the mainly on collective investigation, must de I temarked in a former article, to kill the chry-

The Company's line runs only to India, but pactically it is identical with the Eastern Extension Company, whose lines run to company the attempt of the inhabitants have come company the attempt of the inhabitants have come company the company that the company the co Australia, the Straits Settlements, China and Japan, and with the Eastern and South African Company, with lines running to Zan
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Wodehouse, a Chinese lad was charged with or in the name of their respective governments, graph Company, in which Russia is so much in fireworks, especially those in imitation of the 81 and 84 for some years past; in 1888-9 it was trespessing on the Tramway on Saturday but, to whom alone they have to render account of terested. We hope the Taung-li Yamen and foreign, were very noteworthy, illuminating the 83. The percentages of successful and The fly for which the wily spider is at pre- The defendant ran away on seeing the Superial Line Sheng Tactal will look into this serious question with nearly the power of sunlight. The partially successful hey-weather forecasts tendent the latter giving chase and arresting | rule generally recognised by the diplomatic more carefully before making any concession to Japanese have proved themselves to be adepts and storm warnings were about the samethe Russian mercuant.

SOUTH FORMOSA.

The savages are up again! The treaty recentof Fire Insurance business in Bombay which, al. to the rule, and even from the respect that I ed, and rivers!" This also in native approach, and of which, therefore, no warmings though it does not find a place in the report of the profess for the independence of my colleagues, hot on the war-path | The common people assert characters. Then, shortly before we left, came occedings of the Association for the past year, is to abstalm from any appreciation of the steps that the rupture was brought about by treachery the sesui bune; of good size, but diminutive of great and increasing importance. We refer to taken which public ramour attributes to them. on the part of one of the chinese officials towards when compared with its bamboo and pine bough the enormous development of the practice of in- I do not wish to suppose, Sir, that you made two Bho-tans. The official account of the same counterpart. Two elegant hoko-tall towers on mirance among the hative community which has them known to me as well as the hopes and in is that the chi-hairn of Hungoheng had made wheels, a peculiarity of the Gion festival—graced taken place during the last two or three years. tentions which you attach thereto either to in- two savages prisoners for offences committed the bank opposite us, and numerous gaily dressed Before that time insurance business was practical timidate or to influence my own attitude: Any- against the laws, and confined them in his barges floated about on the Canal. These, with cally confined to the European community and how it is my duty to declare that I can neither yamen; but the report is quite silent as to the their familiar music, dear to the native heart, to cotton mills and other property worked by share your way of regarding these rumours nor causes which led to the arrest or the manner but joint stock companies. Some of the larger doubts, and that knowingly of the incorrectness in which it was carried out. Which is the native firms no doubt insured their goods- and emptiness of those on which you have based true account it is impossible at present to decide, more particularly their cotton—but these were your protests from the first. - but both parties agree in their description of were about all there was to remind the foreigner quite exceptional cases, and we believe we are Whatever may be the final result of the affairs the consequences, namely :- a levée en masse of that he was not among his own people. quite safe in saying that not more than two which I have been called upon to conduct by the tribes, and a march against the district city, or three bundred insurances covering property order of the two Governments which I have the which was completely invested. The magistrate Yamashina, Court Yama in the native part of the city were in existence honour to represent in this country, their course was summoned to deliver up the prisoners in- and Count Saigo, the American Admiral and three years ago. Now all this is changed, and has been and will remain, as far as I am concern- mediately, or the besiegers would proceed at Stuff. Admirals Enomote and Ariii the American at the present rate of progress a very short time ed, entirely independent of any influence de- once to attack and sack the city; putting every Consul, Chinese Consul and secretary and the one to the sword. There happened to be few or foreign teachers of the public schools. On the is due in the unin to the large reductions in rates much longer devolve upon me as I am on the the exercise of a wise discretion, for which he of the capital -was given for the benefit of the which have been made in recent years owing to point of taking advantage of the leave which has will probably suffer, however, complied with the invited guests. the excessive competition among the numerous been given me on account of ill health. I have, demands, and what is more, feasted his assailants His Majesty is expected to return here from offices who have established agencies in this city. however, every reason to hope that my successors plenteously on pork and samshu. The re- his southern trip on the 25th just, but how long Broadly speaking, rates have fallen from 11 or will no more than I have, admit even on the velvies being over, the Bhotans quietly departed, he will stay is uncertain. 15 per cent. to 1 per cent. per annum, and the plea of rumours or warnings, any interference taking the rescued with them, whereupon the I am informed, on high authority, that the rule of a cheap supply creating a cheap demand in our affairs of service on the part of persons or chi-heien promptly reported the whole proces d. Emperor did not refuse to pass through the has never been more fully exemplified. Speak- institutions to whom, I think, no Government, ingeto headquarters. The Governor, who had only | Canal. It was the Empress who hesitated about ing generally we should say that no people are no impartial man, would allow the right to just returned from a rather disastrous campaign doing so. She thought the weather too raw and the safeguard afforded by insurance than our clusion the first and probably the last com- badly beaten he had lost several guns, as may be out her he did not go at all.

assuring you'at the same time of my high esteem. ing such information. An expedition was quick- his arrival, but the Empress has visited several ly planned, and troops to the number of five public institutions, and among them the Mo-a-in thousand have been sent overland and by water the asylum for the blind, deaf and dumb, which to Tainanfoo. The transport Hacking has she presented with 200 year. On the 12th inst. we. been employed for the last fortnight in making the teachers and pupils of the public schools. daily trips between Tainanfoc and Lankino. the passed through the Canal. The journey was nearest port to the scene of operations, each highly interesting, but more about it in my Sig, I am directed to acknowledge the receipt time carrying down as many troops and as much next,-Hyogo News. your letter of the 5th March, addressed to the ammunition as she could take. The force ap-Chairman of this Chamber, and to roply that the pears to be well supplied with arms of the latest pattern, including a large number of war rockets, elected to represent the Commercial interests of on which latter the Governor is said to pin great to answer, but for the sake both of the companies copy of the letter to which you refer to the afraid of using them, as in their bands, the who have been enterprising enough to open up | Ministers of the various Treaty Powers at Pek- rockets have hitherto been apt to prove too imthis new field and still more for the sake of ing in the confident expectation that it would be partial in their effects. To obviate this, as far the general public who form the insuring class, received in the courteous spirit in which, it was as possible, a detachment of thirty or forty Cansent: and they can but regret to find from the toness, trained in the use of rookets, have see the amount at risk, the total amount companied the expedition. Some of the troops that have come down from the north appear a fine body of men, and seem to have been foreign drilled. But the majority are the usual "tagrag and bob-tail" that go to make up native reriments. The most effective force, however, friendly aboriginal, named Lim. from

of 500 men from amongst his retaiders. These latter are well used to savage warfare prove effective allies. Lim is the same man bands of semi-savage gnerillas that proved have done most of the work in that campaign. The commander-in-chief of the present expedition gives out that he intends this time to exterminate the whole Bhotan tribe, re-opening communication with Pilam on the east coast, but as we have heard this boast so often before. and so frequently seen it unfulfilled, we are

naturally somewhat incredulous as to its accomdishment being as near. The truth is that, so long as the Chinese content themselves with desultory and vicarious pampaigns, coasing operations as soon as the savages retire to their mountain fastnesses, from whence they keep up a brisk guerilla attack on their assailants, no practical advance towards the subjugation of the aboriginals can be looked When the Government realises what all

other nations, under similar circumstances, have found essential namely that a first necessity is line of frontier forts, to be gradually pushed forward, together with good roads, and other means for quickly transporting troops from one point to another something may be hoped savages undoubtedly are, can be expected. pled for want of funds, and it appears to tax all his energies to keep up even these perpetually recurring and hithertoineffective demonstrations of military activity, and striving to gloss over troublesome northern inquiry by the glowing reports for which his various expeditions are state of affairs now: the savages triumphant year the figures stood at \$89,824,336. The is made to supply material. Compare the actual all along the line from north to south, their frontiers extended, and indeed only persuaded to keep within these by dint of heavy bribes and concession, with the memorials sent up to Peking, just after the French blockade, describing the advances made by the Chinese forces ing a period in which money can be had on goo shave their heads, and thus be enabled to exhibit produced, including interest accrued, no less a

It has been authoritatively announced that Dr. Merks, late Assistant in the Amoy Consulate, is to come to Tainanfoo as German Vice-Consul. accounts to Slat December last, as now presented, but whether he remains permanently is not positively known as yet.—N. C. Daily News

FORMOSA.

Keelung, April 17th. His Excellency the Governor has been ill after is exertions with the savages, but I am glad to my that he is now nearly recovered again. Since my last letter to you, Mrs. Ashton's untimely death in Tamsui has cart a gloom over the whole community here, and we all sympathise very much with Captain Ashton and the

ittle motherless child Mr. Butler, the sub-Director of the Azsensl in Taipehloo, is going home next week on a well earned holiday to recover his health. Mr. W. Andrew of the I. M. Customs service is to be transferred to Shanghai, and we are a thrill of satisfaction. It is a record ferr Borry to lose him. orce now. Both Mr. Watson and Mr. Bourne. the railway engineers, have been working over here for some time, and Mr. Watson is now

further extension in that direction. Some time ago I told you about the defalcaions of a Toongling; he has now been duly beheaded at Taipehfoo. The weather is now very pleasant, the rainy season having finished with the end of March. Mercury correspondent.

KYOTO.

The town has been on fels since the Emperor's arrival, the fine weather we have had since then

At the Police Court, yesterday, before Mr. | the independence of its members acting by order, of his reponsibility to the Great Northern Tele- and enlivened things with excellent music. The general weather forecasts has fluctuated between

-the Chrysanthemum-with the legend, in Chi- not only every actual prediction is fulfilled but nese characters, Sciju banzai-" May the Em- until every gale is predicted. It would be inperor live 10,000 years!" or "Long live the teresting for purposes of comparison to ascertain Emperor!" Another was a revolving globe, what degree of success could be attained by which changed its colours like a dying dolphin.

For which, alas ! my destiny severe : Though cars she gave me two, gave me no ear, The guests present in the colivion were Prince

THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Referring to the last report of the New York Life Insurance Company. Insurance says :-The feature which first attracts attention is the tremendous percentage of increase or being now \$495,601,270. Of the new insurance written in 1889 more than onehalf represents solid gian to the company an increase of eighteen per cent. largest percentage so far reported by any of the great companies. Nothing can more indicatory of healthy growth than these district of Changwha, who has raised a band figures, which are like the rings that mark the annual growth of a tree. They take into account all loss payments, endowments, lapses, and pur and being undoubtedly brave are likely to chased policies. And the net sum of increase. standing by itself, is one that any company who, during the French blockade, raised those achieving it in the space of a quarter of a century, by dint of push and energy, might well be harassing to the French, and in fact appear to proud of. Excellent companies there are, nearing their half-century, whose total business since their organization the New York Life

> Turning from these figures, which are elequent of company prosperity, which point to more than four hundred and ninety-five millions of dollars yet to be distributed, let us note the present outflow of money as it represents what life insurance is to-day. During the twelve months of 1889 the New York Life paid to its members and their heirs the sum of 813.121.120Englishmen are sometimes heard to boost of the income of the Duke of Westminister which they declare to be a guinea a minute. But here we have one hundred and ten dollars a minute, paid during banking hours every day of the year, in cluding Sundays and holdidays. Not income but out-go. Over five millions of this enormous sum went to the heirs of dead men. How like a benediction it went into desolate homes none will ever know. It rescued many a woman from a life of hopeless struggle. It paid off mortgages. It kept unbroken the family oirole. It made education and chance of getting on in life possible to thousands. The agent who grows eloquent over what life insurance will do for the living as a means of invest ment, must not lose sight of what it does for the dead. There is in it a potency which er ables a man to make out of the uncertainties of his business life a completeness: a sure success This is a deep down, bed rock fact, to which the foregoing figures bear eloquent testimony.

A very important feature of company prosperity is the forward stride in assets. Las orease of the year amounts to \$11.573.414—total \$105.053.600. The hundred million mark was passed by a bound exceeding five millions. And how about the wisdom of investments? Do the assets produce a reasonable rate of interest durall over aboriginal territory, the inhabitants of security at four and one-half per cent? The touchstone is in interest and rentals, and these

sum than \$5,028,950. It is scarcely more than twenty-five years since the issuance of five thousand policies in a year by any life insurance company was looked upon as a phenomenal success, and policies in those days averaged much smaller in amount than they do now. Last year the New York Life issued 39.499 policies, insuring the gross sum of more than \$150,0 0,000. The gross premium income for the year represents the sum of \$24,585,921. The total income falls but little short of thrity millions of dollars.

The following figures represent the progress of the company in a single year : " Increase in interest Increase in benefits to policy holders -1,148,051,61 Increase in surplus for dividends... 1,716,849.01

Increase in premiums ...... 3.458,930.35 Increase in total income ...... Increase in insurance written ..... Increase in insurance in force ..... 75.775.465.00 With such a splendid showing, the office, the agent, and the policyholder ought to feel achievement. Mr. Beers is bold to plan, and The railway is being pushed shead with full prompt to execute; but he is not a man who is disposed to rest on his laurels. Under

his skilful leadership, the company has come to going down South, to place the work for the force seems unabated, it is but fair to presume that the company will wrest still greater victories ont of the immediate future. It has a stalwart agency: composed of picked men, under thorough drill and discipline, with whom the getting of new husiness is no experiment. And success inof egents capable of writing new insurance to the amount of \$150,000,000 in 1889, can do the same thing in 1890, with the addition of fifty millions

> METEOROLOGICAL OBSERVATIONS IN ENGLAND.

The first piece burned was the Imperial Crest the science cannot be considered as perfect until guesswork as a result of mere coincidence were issued: and with regard to that which occurred on May 13th and 14th, 1888, in the extreme north-east of Scotland, there is admittedly nothing, even in all the data relating to the period which have since been collected, to explain why the wind attained so great a force as it did. Failures, however, cannot be considered surprising when it is remembered how wide an extent of ocean surface necessarily escapes constant observation. Indeed, so important and disturbing a factor is the Atlantio, for instance, that after deciding that the regults obtained from the telegrams received from the other side of that ocean did not justify the cost, the Council have since come to the conclusion that even when copies are received gratuitously they do not repay time spent in their study. Meanwhile increased attention is being given to the collection of information from ships. and the number of "excellent" logs appears to be steadily increasing. The currents of the Atlantic, Pacific, and Indian Oceans are also being thoroughly investigated and mapped. One point brought out by the impection of the logs received is that the anti-cyclonic regions of the great oceans, characterised by calms and light variable winds, are practically avoided by navigators.-Manchester Guardian.

JUDICIAL TORTURE IN CHINA.

Legal sentences are cometimes published (

general conception of Chinese civilisation, that

one would fain regard them also as untimely

survivals of a different past, rather than as true

expressions of modern national feeling. The following excerpt, for example, from the Peking Gazette of November 28th, 1877, records a decree so horrible that we must rate lowly the moral. standard where such a law can be allowed to remain in even nominal force. Custom may possibly, as in the case of the "lingering death, have introduced some modifications in practice but the facts of the prolonged captivity of an innocent child, with a view to future punishment. and the formal approval by the imperor of the legal sentence would still remain to testify to the barbarity of the Code :- "Yu Luh, Governor of Anhwei, memorialises as follows: Iu 1872 certain disturbances had broken out on the border of that province and of Houan. After the apprehension of the leader Li Liu . . . . the Government forces further effected the capture of this malefactor's son. Li Mac-tze, at that time six years old. The child was handed over by the Governor of House to the district magistrate to be kept imprisoned till he should reach the proper age to be dealt with according to law. And the magistrate of the said district has now reported that the prisoner has reached the age of eleven, and acknowledges that he is the son of the insurgent leader. Li Liu; but owing to his tender years at the time he knew nothing of his father's treasonable designs. The law runs as follows:—" The children and grandchildren of rebels, if not themselves privy to the treasonable designs of their parents, shali be delivered into the hands the Imperial household to be emasculated and shall be forwarded to Turkestan and given over as slaves to the soldiery. If beneath the age of ten they shall be confined in prison until they shall have reached the age of eleven, whereupon the sentence of the law shall be carried into effect.' As the prisoner in question has now reached the prescribed age, execution of the sentence of the law must be proceed. ed with, and submission to this effect having been made by the provincial judge, on application by the prefect, the Governor has approved the same and has communicated with the Board of Punishments in due form. He requests that instructions may be issued accordingly." The Imperial rescript: "Led the Board of Punish ments take note." confirms the proposal, which throws a lurid light on the idea of visiting the sins of the fathers upon the children that finds frequent expression in Oriental polity. The idea of course, is to extirpate, root and ranch, a noxious brood: for parricide and reballion are, as we have seen, classed together as the most horrible of crimes. But what is perapa most curious is the illustration afforded of the slow evolution of moral perceptions in the human mind: for this sentence is evidently, from the language used, considered a merciful reduction of the death penalty to which the victim would have been liable had he been privy to his father's treasonable designs. i he whole incident affords, also, a curious illustration of the methodical formality of Chinese procedure. Jehu's extermination of the house of ()mri was simple butchery compared to the orderly and legal extinction of the family of Li

he maxims and out-of-the-way sentences of Chinese law. It would be as great a mistake to -suppose that scenes of crucky are being daily enacted throughout the length and breadth of China, as it would be to take the Chinese literati at their own valuation as possessing laws of paternal leniency. The truth no doubt lies beween these two extremes. For just as ito quote Mr. Giles' appropriate simile) "people going up a mon tain complain to those they meet coming down of the bitter cold, and are assured by the latter that the temperature is really pleasant;" so certain Chinese custom: sayour to us of a ornelty long since disused in Europe. "while the Chinese enthusiast proudly compares the practice of the present dynasty with the atrocities of less civilised iges." And there are not wanting indications hat opinion is tending generally - however slowly-to discountenance and discourage the more cruel proceedings. The se-called lingering death," for instance, which used to mean chopping off one limb after another and tearing out the heart, before eventual decapitation, has been reduced at least to the nfliction of a series of gashes representing these mutilations, followed by a speedier death-blow. Besides the criminal is said both in this case and in that of ordinary decapitation, to be usually half stupefled with ppium before undergoing the penalty. There may be, to our notions, a revolting absence of stand where it stands to day. As his natural deconey in the arrangements; but that is a matter of education and sentiment. The culprit is carried on to an open space accessible to what pectators soever choose to assemble: he is merey set kneeling on the ground—several may possibly be set kneeling in a row-with the head bent forward and the hands tied behind cites to action. Success inspires. And the army the back; and the executioner steps from one to another dealing the fatal blow. But the prior stupefaction of at least the ordinary riminal marks an attitude as far removed from more. It's a great country, and rather a big the original conception of ling-che as our own world, and the New York Life, with its agents private executions are removed from the pracall around the globe, will doubtless go for all tice of hanging, drawing and quartering a traitor, or of hanging a robber by the wayside and leaving the skeleton there in chains. Then again the Emperor Kanghe forbade bambooing norces the back and shoulders, for the reason that "near the surface lie the liver and the lungs," and serious internal injury might be the Chinese side is Sheng Taotal. He is now, we celebrated. Osaka people, moved with envy, are cil which has just been issued is, as usual, a year inflicted for some trivial offence. Anklehear, working hard to get the Chinese lines con wont to say. Kyo no be doore; Osaka no kui late—that is, it describes the observations and beating, finger-squeezing, and such other nected with the Equaisz lines by aline from Peking daore, or " Kyoto people ruin themselves by other work of the twelve months ended March amenities are employed only, as a rule, in flagto Kinchta a very good thing in its way but not dress, Osaka people by eating," intimating at the 31st last. The reasons for this long delay are rant cases; and such punishments as pressing and with this object in view made inspection and with the discovery that of it a short time ago with the discovery that you thought fit to address to me under date of the stomach, while the opposite the stomach, while the opposite two of expenses, such as printing, which doubt the discovery that the best authority that a wall-known obtains with themselves. The accused are not tive of expenses, such as printing, which doubt the stomach with themselves. 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Secretary of the China Association on the 11th line, and Sheng Teotal is willing to come to an parties I should say that there is much to be ments; and of this sum £7,286 is paid in salaries the incidents narrated, conclusions too adverse and wages apparently for what may be broadly to the Chinese character and civilization. They now covered with masses of seaweed and shells, prise at receiving a voluntary communication a monthly subside higher than the Russian Go. The entertainment given by the Frebo on the special work, in which we in a seaweed and shells, prise at receiving a woluntary communication a monthly subside higher than the Russian Go.

We are concerned, however, with the theor

and practice of indicial torture rather than with

## OLLA PODRIDA.

Fortnightly Roviow.

Posts must suffer before they can write says a philosopher. After that it is other people

"That quarrelsome Mrs. Pence is crasy." No wonder; she was always giving somebody a piece of her mind."

"You never tried."

Seagulls are not infrequently observed as far up the river as Woolwich, and one has been seen quite recently at Twickenham; but the appearance of a bawk in the heart of the City is bably the hawk in question was of an exploring sidents to witness a festival known as "Agni wished to see what the metropolis really resembled or perhaps he desired to join the board of peol of fire, at the residence of the Rani of some mining company. Arrived at the churchyard of St. Nicholas in Nicholas Lane, he tonished at seeing the natives walking over a swooped down on, an unoffending sparrow and tonished at seeing the natives walking over a killed it without offering a word of explanation.

tion of schoolboys' blunders which appears in an god of fires, made of knesded flour, and the educational journal:-"In the department of great god Mahadeo was conveyed round the fire English history it has been affirmed that Mary three times in a grand palanquin, borne by THE Firm of BIRLEY & Co. at this Port Magdalene led the Britons against the Romans: by priests, amidst great singing and denoing has CEASED to exist, and the Goodwill that 'the Barons compelled John to sign the (something after the fashion of the Indian war and Business of the same has been handed over pledge at Runnymede; that Doomsday Book dance and song). After the third turn, one of to and will, henceforth, be conducted by Messra. contained something about the scurvy (sup. priests, with a drawn sword, severed the head of HERBERT DENT & Co. of Canton and posed to be a dim recollection of the survey; the god of fires, which they said had the effect Maoso that Marshal Junot was allowed to evaporate of "cooling the fire." After the defeat of the Portugal; while the brief but pathetic account god, several natives, young and old, of different of the end of Thomas à Becket is, They put castes, walked across the fire with bare feet. None him in a hole under the stairs and he never

In an Omaha church recently, Sam Jones, the American evangelist, shouted-". Is there a man precent who never spoke a cross word to his wife?" The silence was becoming oppressive. People looked here and there. Every husband present wanted to get up, but did not dare to But the sadness that had possession of Jones's face vanished a moment latter when a roundfaced, good-natured man rose from his seat "Thank God!" exclaimed Sam, "there is one man who never spoke a cross word to his wife!" The good-natured man smiled a bland smile and said -"No sir, I never did. I'm a bachelor." Then he put on his hat and calmly walked out of the door, and the same

The Chemist and Druggist has recently asked its subscribers throughout the United Kingdom to supply it with estimates of the number of On New Your pills consumed in the kingdom daily. The average of these estimates, which were received from all parts of the kingdom, shows that the extra- ON BOMBAY.ordinary number of 5,643,961 pills is computed be the daily consumption. This would give one mill per week to every man, woman, and child OR CALCUITA. in the kingdom, and a little calculation shows that, taking the average pill to weigh three Bank, on deman grains, a year's supply for the United Kingdom On Shanghal—would weigh not less than 178 tons or sufficient Bank, at sight to fill 56 ordinary railway waggons, thus making a train load requiring two powerful engines to Soverrious, Bank's Buying Rate .....6.02

. The grand characteristic of all the arts in Indie is the obvious want of power. The hands do their work well, but there is want of head. There. is no science and no emulation. Each man follows the occupation which his father followed, and performs the same operation that his father performed performs it too, in the same manner, and thus, though one generation follows another, it is the revolution of one dull wheel. and the appearance is still the same. There have been imitations of European articles made for Europeans; but it is doubtful whether during the last four or five hundred years the native intellect of India has contrived a single tool or machine for the effecting of any native

In a short time we may expect to see in our railway stations and other public places automatic machines which will readily produce tin type photographs, taken on the spot, for a penny each. Already by ingenious machinery we may supply ourselves with sweetments, cigars, and stationery; but a machine has been invented at Birmingham by which, when a customer puts himself in the proper position for five seconds and drops a penny in the slot, his portrait is taken, and in forty more seconds it is passed to him in a complete state. This is one of the most wonderful applications of photography yet discovered. At the private exhibition the machine is said to have given great satisfaction, for though there were a few hitches they were all accounted for by the improvised character of the

Atruly remarkable physical defect is recalled by the death of Mr. E. Cowles, editor and owner of the Cleveland Leader, one of the great newspapers of America. Until Mr. Cowles was 25 years of age, be supposed that all be heard and read about the songs of birds was poetical Lotion, since to his ears they had always been as mute as fishes. Then a distinguished artist, hearing of this droll delusion, sought Mr. Cowles out, and made the discovery that he could not hear the notes of a piace or organ above the sixth octave or even the shrillest or most vibrant notes of a fife or violin. Put in Luzon Sugar hear the dightest sound even when they were Miningsinging at their shrillest, and he placed his ear close to the care. All the sibilane sounds in human speech escaped him likewise, and as a result be never produced them in his own talk Strange to say in all other respects his hearing Perak Sugar was more than ordinarily acute.

Major A. R. Murray, in a lecture on the Boys! Boots and the Highland Brigade, said that Lamag Planting ed his conquering march at Inverness, and there built across the island a wall or chain of forts to Shanghai Water. 220 236

protect his conquests from the frequent incursions of the Caledonians on the further side China & Manile 350 3108 Hence Scotsman boast that theirs is at unconquered country | but that the beast may be seesound with the salt of modesty, it was wall to remember, that Cuear being a man of great Steam Launch good sense, probably did not think it worth his Trust & Loan Co. Watson & Co. Line career, of conquest as he might unid the wildersess of hills; and among the flerce tribes which inhabited them. But whatever he person for this half it was pertain he most highly appreciated the was pertain of Jeans Obriet and supplied the Temple Guard, from whigh I late selected, the soldiers that watched over the supplication "Pilate's Guards" borne by the Royal Septe as the decondants of those old Casedovian legionaries. In course of years palmies fans 166 cases mothers poor shall 38 Apply to this legion was supposed to have been sent to the north of Germany, and there, upon the decline and fall of the Reman Empire, broken up; its scattered soldiers entered the service; of HONGKONG TEMPERATURE. various petty kings and chiefs along the shores of the Baltic, recruited by other Caledonian

equivalent based upon mitimate punishment by | She (at concert) ... How expressive ! Was an wassen power, and in the presence of the fact not that Cradle Bong beautifully rendered?" that the Chinese are a mation of liars without | He-" Ya.as. I green that a what made my leg

The Egyptians were great advertisers. Pr at Thebes, describing runaway slaves, and offerthe walls

Mr. Runciman's article in The Fortnightly inclined to doubt the habitual employment of the book except from the review of it wherein Amoy, Mrs. Fenwick Miller was lately asked by correspondent whether she really thought that

women could, if they liked, do all that men can do. She replied as follows:—"Speaking for myself, there is at least one thing that many men have done and now do which I know I should never have the courage to do. I have studied medicine, contested elections, written Short and sweet," remarked the grocer, as political leaders, all like a man but though I be tied up thirteen onnees of sugar and marked have never yet in my life worn on my head a tress of hair which had, not grown there, I am | Barometer sure I never never should have the courage to Temperature go about with a bald head."

From New York comes the announcement | Force of wind ..... of an English syndicate with a capital of Weather He Miss Wayting, you are a pussle to me. 25,000,000, for the formation of a school book I hever knew how to take you." She (shyly)- trust. To meet this an American combination is already on foot, and will be definitely or-An Independent is a man who leaves the beginning of May. Mr. Appleton, head of the other party to join our party. A renegade is firm of Messes. Appleton and Co., will accept a in h who leaves our party to join the other.

An offensive partisan is a man who belongs to the other party and sticks to it.

Authors and school proprietors object to both Authors and school proprietors object to both sohemes slike, and Messes. Harper Bros. refuse rain; a shall related to be sold to be all co-operation in either trust.

Writing from Beneres an Indian correspon-Kund," which literally meens walking over a Coorg. The invitations were largely responded to, and all the European spectators were aspool of living coals. The place where the fire was placed was about 20ft long, Aft wide, and Here are some extracts from a recent college. 2ft deep. At one and of this was situated the of them complained, but repeated their walks.

> COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE. CLOSING QUOTATIONS.

MONDAY, 28TH APRIL EXCHANGE. )n London.— Telegraphic Transfer .........3/31 Bank Bills, on demand ...... Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight .......3/31

Bank Bills, at 4 months sight ......3/81 Credits, at 4 months sight .......3/4 Documentary Rills, 4 months sight 3/4 PARIS. Bank Bills, on demand ......4.12 Credits, at 4 months sight .........4.20 On Germany.— On demand 

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Hongkong & S'hai.	\$125	197, p. ct. pm.
New Oriental	£10	\$10.14e.
Brown & Co., H. G.	\$50	\$55
China Borneo	\$50	\$40
Olina Dorney	\$100	
China Sugar	* F00	Quint mann
Chinese Loan 84 B.	9500	3 p. ot. prem., no
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Cruickshank & Co		\$49, nom.
Dairy Farm Co	\$10	\$12, nom.
Darvel Bay Trading.	\$8	
Fenwick & Co., Geo.,		\$80, nom.
Gordon & Co., A. G	\$25	
Green Island Cement		N . −
H. Brick & Cement.	\$17.50	
H, & C. Bakery		\$75, sales
Hongkong & C. Gas.	£10	\$100
Hongkong Electric	<b>\$6</b>	<b>\$8</b>
H. H. L. Tramways.	\$100	\$220, nom.
Hongkong Ice	\$25	\$100, ez div.
H. & K. Wharf & G.	\$50	
H. Steam Laundry		nom.
Hongkong Rope		\$115
H. & W. Dock	\$125	54 p. ct. pm.
Hotels-		
Austin Arms	<b>\$25</b>	5 p.ct. dis., selle
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Peak Hotel	125	\$25
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China Fire	1	\$115, nom.
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China Traders'	4000	
Chinese Insurance	3200	\$70 \$80, nom. \$380
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HONGKONG TEMPERATURE.

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Previous On date On date |day 4 p.m. | at 10 a.m. | at 4 p.m

Highest open air temperature on the 27th 1—BIBONETER reduced to 33 degrees Fahr, at see level.
2—TEMPERATURE in the shade in degrees Fahrenheit.
3—HUMIDITY in percentage of saturation, the humidity of saturated with moisture being 100. 4—DIRECTION OF THE WIND to two points.

5—FORCE OF THE WIND according to Beaufort Scale.

6—STATE OF THE WRITHER ! b. blue sky; s, det Hongkong Observatory, 28th April, 1890.

NOTICES OF FIRMS NOTICE. AAR. KENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS late of MESSES. BIELEY & Co., Canton G. E. NOBLE, Esq.

has joined our Firm from this date and is POON PONG Esq. authorised to Sign the name of the Firm. HERBERT DENT & Co. Canton, loth March, 1890. NOTICE.

BIRLEY & Co. Canton, 15th March, 1890. TEFERRING to the above all amounts due

to, and owing by, BIRLEY & Co. will be settled by KENNETH DOUGLAS ADAMS. Canton, 15th March, 1890. HE AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND BUILDING COMPANY, LIMITED.

M.R. JOHN A. JUPP has been appointed. SECRETARY of the above Company. JNO. D. HUMPHREYS. Managing Director. Hongkong, 10th April, 1890. NOTICE.

TN ADDITION to our present Business in this Colony as SHARE & GENERAL BROKERS, We have To-day Established ourscives as GENERAL AUCTIONEERS. APCAR BROTHERS. 68. Queen's Road Contrat. Hongkong, 5th April, 1890.

LESSONS IN PAINTING. R. STANLEY SETON, who has had wany years' experience of Teaching both at Home and in the East, is prepared to give LESSONS in OIL & WATER COLOUR PAINTING. Terms and Particulars may be obtained from Messrs. KELLY & WALSH, LIMITED.

Hongkong 25th April, 1890. HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAM WAYS COMPANY, LIMITED.

OTICE is hereby given to Holders of

Shares in the above Company bearing

the following Numbers :--484, 511/520, 561/565, 571/580, 611/620 681/690, 771/785, 791/810, 961/990, 1021/1040, 1071/1680, 1111/1115, 1121/1135, 1186/1190, 1206/1210. 1225/1226 and 1229/1230. on which the SECOND CALL of \$50 per Share due 31st July, 1889, is still UNPAID, that unless the said Call, with Interest at the rate of 9. per cent. per Annum, be paid to the Hond-KONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION, or the GENERAL MANAGEES at the Company's Office, Nos. 50 & 52, Queen's Boad Central, on or before the 17th May, 1890, the Shares will be liable to be forfeited.

MAGEWEN PRICKEL & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 24th April, 1890. TI ONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAM. generally on terms to be had on application. WAYS COMPANY, LIMITED. TIME TABLE.

WEEK DAYS. 8 to 10 a.m. every quarter of an hour. 12 to 2 p.m. every half hour. (Tiffin Carat 12.45) 3 to 7.30 p.m. every quarter of an hour. THURSDAYS. NIGHT TRAMS at 10.30 and 11 p.m. SATURDAYS. NIGHTTRAMS at 8.45, 9, 10.30 and 11 p.m. SUNDAYS. 10.40 a.m.; 12 (Noon) to 2 p.m. every quarter

of an hour. S to 7.30 p.m. every quarter of an honr.
SPROIAL CARS may be obtained on application to the Superintendent. Single Tickets are sold in the Cars: Five Cent Coupons and REDUCED TICKETS at the MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.,

General Managers. Hongkong let November, 1889. VEE SANGE COAL MEBCHANTS, have always on hand LARGE STOCKS OF EVERY DESCRIP TION OF COAL Address .- Cire of Mosers, Rwong Sans & Co. No. 68 PRAYA.

A TOBR A NATURAL SOLERA SHERRY. Dr. STEVENSON MACADAM, writes :-AWALTTICAL LABORATORY, EDINEUROR 11th June, 1888. The La Tomme Sherry is well adapted for general use, and is a tonic which may be safely ampleyed by those suffering from a week digestion. BTEVERSON MACADAM.
B.R.S.E. P.O.S. P.O.
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Our representatives in China can supply this charming and delicate wine at 39 per Care. CUTLER, PALMER & Co.

MEYER & Co. Hongkong 2nd July, 1887.

A CHRONG & Co...
General Declars in FURNITURE, ELECTRO-PLATE, GLASS and CROCKthat spirit of clauship peculiar to Scotzman, be came regiments, very frequently royal guards, sometimes little armirs, whose romantic story and chivalric career might be traced in the might be traced in the might and the Hongkong 7th April, 1880.

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DULES OF THE HONGKONG onducted by the Hongko g and Shanghai Raskava Fund 1.- The business of the above Bank will be Hongkong Business hours on week-days 104 Bow uses Parn to 3 | Saturdays, 10 to 1. 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year.

3. Depositors in the Savings Bank having

\$100 or more at their credit may at their option transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. 4. Interest at the rate of Sp per cent per annum will be allowed to Depositors on their daily balances. 5. Each Depositor will be supplied gratis with a Pass Book, which must be presented with each payment or withdrawal. Depositors most not make any entries themselves in their Page-Books, but should send them to be written up at least twice a year, about the beginning of January and beginning of July.

6.—Correspondence as to the business of the Bank if marked On Hongkong SAVINGS BANK SURINESS is forwarded free by the various British Post Offices in Hongkong and Chins. 7. -- Withdrawals may be made on demand but the personal attendance of the Depositor or his duly appointed Agent, and the production of his Pass-Book are necessary. For the HONGRONG AND BRANCHAL BANK-ING. CORPORATION.

G. E. NOBLE. . Chief Manager. Hongkong, 1st January, 1889, THE HONGRONG LAND INVEST MENT AND AGENCY COMPANY,

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL .... Reserve Fund 1,250,000 BOARD OF DIBECTORS Hop. J. J. KESWICK, Chairman & Managing .. C.P.CHATER. Vice-Chairman | Directors.

LEE SING, Esq. ST. C. MICHAEUSEN, Eac. J. S. MOSES, Esq. D. R. SASSOON, Esq.

HANKERS: THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-ING CORPORATION. Money advanced on Mortgage on Land or Properties purchased and sold. Estates managed and all kinds of Agency

Land, &c. conducted. Full particulars can be obtained at the Company's Offices. No. 5, Queen's Road Central. A. SHELTON HOOPER. Secretary. Victoria Buildings, Hongkong, 3rd May, 1889.

TO ONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKING CORPORATION. Reserve Fund ...... 4,630,000 RESERVELIABILITY OF PROPRIETORS 7.500,000

COURT OF DIRECTORS ---H. L. DALEYMPLE, Esq.—Chairman. J. S. Moses, Esq. Doputy Chairman T. E. Davies, Esq. W. H. Forbes, Esq. H. Hoppins, Esq. Hon. J. J. Keswick. A. McConschie, Esq. Hon. A. P. MicEwan. S. C. Michaelsen, Esq. L. Possnecker, Esq. D. R. Sassoon, Esq. CHICK MANAGER.

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On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per Annum on the daily balance. On Fixed Deposits:— For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

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Chief Manager. Hongkong, 3rd April, 1890. TTHE NEW ORIENTAL BANK Logo Corporation, Limited: AUTHORISED CAPITAL ......£2,000,000.

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GEO. W. F. PLAYFAIR. Manager Hongkong, 12th March, 1887. 12

THE JAPAN SUPPLY (10. SHIP COMPRADORES. COMMISSION NEECHANTS GENERAL CONTRACTORS. JOHN A. PEEBLES. Manager.

No. 27, MAIN STREET, YOKOHAMA Yokohama, 3rd February, 1890. THE MARINBURK FURNITURE COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

TOTICE is hereby given that a CALL of Ten Dollars (\$10) per Share is payable on or before the 16th May, 1890, to the Company's Bankers, the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation. By Order of the Board of Directors. Manager.

Hongkong, 17th April, 1890. THE AUSTIN ARMS HOTEL AND BUILDING COMPANY LIMITED. NOTICE is hereby given to the SHARF-HOLDERS in the above Company that Mesers Curius, Palmer & Co.

"I have made a careful and exhaustive Analysis of a further and FINAL CIALLY of Twenty-five a mample of Sherry of the mark 'La Tossa' The deliars per Share is by order of the Directors results show this Bherry to be a natural Wine of made payable to the Undersigned on or before Company, free from added alcohol or other the 30th instant, at the Office of the Company, 86, Queen's Hoed Contral HENRY HUMPHREYE Acting Secretary. Hongkong, 9th April, 1890. THE PROMISE CHAMPAGNE

Lebinet Vilb'dby blich." So labelled and branded : It is Shipped the Hongkong represents CUTLER, PALMER & Co., who are MM. Hungr, Frist Agents. 127 RAB GBIFFITH PHOTOGRAPHER

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PAID-UP CAPITAL \$\frac{1}{2}\text{400,000} \text{200,000} PAID-UP CAPITAL RISKS accepted at CURRENT RATES OF PREMIA. JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,

Hongkong, 18th April 1890. DHENIX FIRE OFFIC The Undersigned are now prepared GRANT POLICIES of INSURANCE against FIRE at Current Rates of Figure 1 DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. ... Agents for the Phoniz Fire Office. Hougkong, 17th August, 1887.

NOTICE. LUEEN FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. The Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates.

Hongkong 16th July, 1887. GENERAL MIFE AND FIRE ASSUBANCE COMPANY IN LONDON.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are propared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE and LIFE at Current Rates REUTER BRÖCKELMANN & Co. Hongkong, 1st July, 1889. NTORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. As Agents of the shove Company we are

prepared to accept RISKS against FIRE at Current rates RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, 2nd May, 1889. THE INDIAN IMPERIAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

The Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT MARINE RISKS at Current GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, 6th November, 1889.

THE NORTH GERMAN/FIRE INSUR ANCE COMPANY OF HAMBURG. HIHE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above Company, are and Commission business relating to prepared to GRANT INSURANCES to the extent of \$100,000, on first-class risks at our rent rates. DUNN, MELBYE & Co.

Hongkong, 16th February, 1889. ATLAS ASSURANCE COMPANY OF LONDON.

Undersigned, having been appointed FACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at EDUARD SCHELLHASS & Co., Frangkong, 12th April, 1890. FTRANSATIANTICFIREINSURANCI COMPANY OF HAMBURG.

The Undersigned, having seen appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current SIEMSSEN & Co., Hongkong ::16th November, 1872

FINE MAN ON INSURANCE COM-PANY. LIMITED. HEAD OFFICE-HONGRONG CAPITAL (BUBSCRIBED), \$1,000.000.

BUARD OF DIRECTORS. LUM SIN BANG, Esq. BAN HUP, Esq. Yow CHONG PENG, Esq. CHAN LI CHOY Esq Q. HOY CHUNE, Esq. The Company GRANTS POLICIES on payable at any of its Agencies. Contributory Dividends are payable to all Contributors of Business, whether they are Shareholders or not.

WOO LIN YUEN. Secretary. HEAD OFFICE, No 2, Queen's Road West, liongkong, 14th March, 1881. TRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877 IN HAMBURG.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current Rates. REUTER, BRÖCKELMANN & Co., Hongkong, 1st July, 1889. COUTH BRITISH FIRE & MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY OF

NEW ZEALAND. PAID-UP CAPITAL AND RESERVES ... £210.000 The Undersigned are prepared to accept FIRE and MARINE INSURANCES on

Current rates and a guaranteed Bonus equal to that paid by the local Offices. GEORGE R. STEVENS & Co., Agents 6, Qu cen's Road, Hongkong Hongkong, 11th February, 1890.

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE, 238年 安徽 LIMUTED A

NOTICE TO CONTRIBUTORS. BONUS of Twenty per cent. upon Contributions for the year 1889, has this day been declared a sale of the sale of the sale of the sale of Warrants may be had on application at the above Office on and after the 1st proximo. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., the wester Inwasted General Agents, views Canton Insurance Office, Limited.

CANTON, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHABEHOLDERS Warrants may be had on application at the HONGRONG .... The Hongkong Trading Co. Office of the Society on and after the 1st May.

By Order of the Board, N. J. EDE.

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Hongkoug, 16th April, 1890.

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Hongkong, 16th April, 1890. TAPIER, JOHNSTORE'S CUTLES, PALMER & Co.'s SELECTION. Apply to LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., MAN LOONG, of CANDOM, bas always on Thank for Sale BEST PRESERVED

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2nd That H. E. The Governor for the time being of the Colony, be President. 3rd-That the Hon. A. P. MacEwen be Vice-President 4th-I hat the duty of preparing draft R ules and Regulations be entrusted to Mr. Young, and that a subsequent Meeting be called t consider and approve such Rules, and appoint Officers.

th-That a notification be published in the local papers inviting Gentlemen, who wish to become Members to send in their names to Mr. Young without delay. The Undersigned will be pleased to receiv he names of Gentlemen desirous of being elected Members of this Club, and it is hoped that the Community will give the institution their Smith. Chinese str., 704, Neson, April 21, epergetic support.

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Saikle-maru, Jap. str., 1,710, Conner, April 22, Maudjur, Rus. oruiser, 7 guns, Capt. Tohouknin, at Yokohama Moncosoy, Amr. gun-vessel; 6 guns, Com. L. M. Johnson, at Canton Tuisang, British str., 1,550, Jackson, April 21, Nayesdnik, Russian craiser, 9 guns, 253 hp., Capt. Zarine, at Vladivostock Omahs, Amr. corvette, 12 guns, 1,150 h.p., Capt. B. Cromwell, at Koba Palos, Amr. gunbost, 6 guns, 500 h.p., Lieut. Com. H. Vall. at Chinkiang Parseyal, French cruiser, Capt. Fourest, at

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